

# CALIFORNIA BLUE RIBBON COMMISSION ON CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE

June 20–22, 2007  
Riverside, California

## MEETING AGENDA

<b>Wednesday, June 20</b> 6:30–8:00 p.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Galleria</i>	<b>OPENING DINNER</b> <b>Collaboration Between Courts, Probation and Foster Care:</b> <b>A Discussion of Local Efforts to Collaborate on Dual Jurisdiction</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Hon. Becky Lynn Dugan, Riverside Superior Court</i></li><li>○ <i>Mr. Darrell Clark and Ms. Monique Wilson, Riverside Department of Public Social Services</i></li><li>○ <i>Ms. Frances Kroh and Mr. Neil Smith, Riverside Juvenile Probation</i></li><li>○ <i>Ms. Deana Piazza, AOC Staff</i></li></ul>
<b>Thursday, June 21</b> 8:00–8:30 a.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Music Room</i>  8:30 a.m.  9:00–11:45 a.m.       11:45 a.m.–1:00 p.m.     1:00–2:00 p.m.  2:00 p.m.	<b>BREAKFAST AND ORIENTATION TO PREPARE FOR SITE VISIT TO THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTION FOR WOMEN</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>AOC Staff</i></li></ul> <b>DEPART FOR SITE VISIT</b>  <b>TOUR OF CALIFORNIA INSTITUTION FOR WOMEN</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Warden Dawn Davison</i></li><li>○ <i>Associate Warden Robert Kettle</i></li><li>○ <b>Mother-Child Reunification Program</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Mother Right Class (educational class)</i></li><li>▪ <i>Bonding Mothers and Babies (prison nursery)</i></li><li>▪ <i>Tour law library and residential facility</i></li><li>▪ <i>Our House</i><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>ChildSpace (mother-child visitation area)</i></li><li>▪ <i>Mediated Visits (dedicated area)</i></li></ul></li></ul></li></ul> <b>LUNCH AND DISCUSSION WITH STAFF AND INCARCERATED MOTHERS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Dr. Denise Johnston, Center for Children of Incarcerated Parents</i><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <i>Experiences of Incarcerated Mothers whose Children are in Foster Care</i></li></ul></li></ul> <b>COMMISSION DISCUSSION</b>  <b>SITE VISIT ENDS</b> <i>(Depart for hotel)</i>
2:30–3:30 p.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Music Room Foyer</i>	<b>BREAK</b>

3:30–5:00 p.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Music Room</i>	<b>COMMISSION DISCUSSION</b> <b>Ensuring Local Collaboration for Improving Foster Care</b> <b>Outcomes:</b> Establishing Foster Care Commissions in 58 Counties
6:45–8:30 p.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Monterey</i>	<b>COMMISSION DINNER</b> <b>A Discussion of Court Responsibility and Leadership in Ensuring Improved Foster Care Outcomes</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Hon. Sharon McCully, Judge of the Third District Juvenile Court, State of Utah</i></li> </ul>
<b>Friday, June 22</b>  7:30–8:30 a.m. <i>Tavern Room</i>  8:30–9:00 a.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Music Room</i>        9:00–11:00 a.m.	<b>BREAKFAST</b>  <b>COMMISSION MEETING</b> <b>Call to Order and Introductions of New Commissioners</b>  <b>Acceptance of the March Meeting Minutes</b>  <b>Remarks from the Chairman</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Hon. Carlos R. Moreno</i></li> </ul> <b>Commission Activities &amp; Commissioner Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Mr. Christopher Wu</i></li> </ul> <b>Local and Statewide Collaboration Between Courts, Tribes and Foster Care</b>  <b>Tribal Alliance</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Hon. Elisabeth Sichel, Riverside Superior Court</i></li> <li>○ <i>Mr. Luke Madrigal, Riverside Indian Child and Family Services</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Mary Ellen Johnston, Riverside Department of Public Social Services</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Donna M. Burt, Riverside Superior Court</i></li> </ul> <b>Interagency Collaboration</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Ms. Teresa Contreras, California Department of Social Services</i></li> <li>○ <i>Mr. Olin Jones, Attorney General’s Office of Native American Affairs</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Connie Reitman, Inter-Tribal Council of California, Inc.</i></li> <li>○ <i>Mr. Kevin Sanders, California Department of Social Services</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Jennifer Walter, AOC staff</i></li> </ul>
11:15 a.m.–2:30 p.m.	<b>LUNCH AND SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS</b> <i>(Box lunches will be provided)</i>

<i>Mission Inn Hotel, Monterey</i>	<b>Court Oversight</b> Court Oversight of Services for Foster Children and Families <i>Commissioners Will Lightbourne and Gary Seiser</i>
<i>Mission Inn Hotel, Santa Barbara</i>	<b>Funding and Resources</b> Review and Discussion of Foster Youth Services Funding <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Commissioner Jacqueline Wong</i></li> </ul>
<i>Mission Inn Hotel, Galleria</i>	<b>Accountability for Better Outcomes</b> Strategies for Reducing Reliance on Foster Care <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Ms. Crystal Baik, Asian Women's Shelter</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Jessica Recinos, City and County of San Francisco</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Ronda Johnson, City and County of San Francisco</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Minnie Thomas, Founder, Solid Foundation</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Rose Wentz, National Resource Center for Family-Centered Practice and Permanency Planning</i></li> <li>○ <i>Ms. Kelly Beck, Ms. Bonnie Hough, and Ms. Chantal Sampogna, AOC Staff</i></li> </ul>
<i>Mission Inn Hotel, Ho-O-Kan</i>	<b>Case Management and Data Exchange Systems</b> Data Sharing between the Courts and Partner Agencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <i>Commissioner Alan Slater</i></li> <li>○ <i>Mr. Bob Steiner, Ms. Karen Cannata and Ms. Chantal Sampogna, AOC Staff</i></li> </ul>
2:30–3:00 p.m. <i>Mission Inn Hotel, Music Room</i>	<b>Report Back from Subcommittee Chairs</b>  <b>Closing Remarks</b>
3:00 p.m.	<b>Meeting Adjourns</b>